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In the Application of:

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For: BACTERICIDAL/PERMEABILITY-
INCREASING PROTEIN:
CRYSTALLIZATION, X-RAY
DIFFRACTION, THREE-
DIMENSIONAL STRUCTURE
DETERMINATION, RATIONAL
DRUG DESIGN AND MOLECULAR
MODELING OF RELATED
PROTEINS

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed July 3, 2003, submitted herewith for filing
in the above-referenced application are:

1. Amendment and Response to Office Action of July 3, 2003;

2. Petition for a Three-Month Extension of Time;
3. A check in the amount of \$475.00 (extension of time); and
4. One return postcard.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 13-0017 in the name of McAndrews, Held & Malloy, Ltd.

Respectfully submitted,

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